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C O N F I D E N T I A L GENEVA 2541

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ECE, CSCE, ETRN, ENGR, SENV

SUBJECT: ECE 31ST SESSION: POSSIBLE RESOLUTION TO COUNTER  
SOVIET PROPOSAL

REF: GENEVA 2513

1. THERE FOLLOWS OUR PROPOSED TEXT OF A POSSIBLE  
RESOLUTION FOR SUBMISSION AS COUNTER TO SOVIET PROPOSAL  
(LATEST DRAFT TEXT OF WHICH WAS TRANSMITTED REFTEL). THIS  
REPRESENTS RESOLUTION WHICH WILL PROBABLY BE UNACCEPTABLE  
TO SOVIETS, AND WE SHOULD BE PREPARED TO MAKE FURTHER MINOR  
CONCESSIONS. WE HAVE NOT INCLUDED LANGUAGE ON SPECIFIC  
PROJECTS SINCE THAT MATTER DEALT WITH IN EC-9 DRAFT RESOLUTION.  
WE ENVISAGE THAT THESE TWO RESOLUTIONS WOULD BE SPECIFICALLY  
TIED TO EACH OTHER.

2. WHILE IT COULD BE ARGUED IT WOULD BE BETTER TO AVOID A  
RESOLUTION ALTOGETHER, WE DOUBT THIS APPROACH WOULD HAVE MUCH  
SUPPORT EVEN IN WESTERN CAUCUS. SINCE SOVIETS ATTACH  
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GREAT IMPORTANCE TO BREZHNEV PROPOSAL, HAVE FORMALLY

INTRODUCED IT IN MEETING AS SEPARATE AGENDA ITEM,  
AND SINCE QUESTION OF FACE IS INVOLVED WE BELIEVE  
APPROPRIATELY WORDED RESOLUTION WOULD BE  
SATISFACTORY OUTCOME. SUCH RESOLUTION WOULD ALSO  
HAVE POSITIVE BENEFITS FROM OUR POINT OF VIEW SINCE  
IT WOULD GIVE APPEARANCE OF A POSITIVE RESPONSE AND  
WOULD REDUCE LIKELIHOOD THAT SOVIETS WOULD PRESS IDEA  
THROUGH OTHER CHANNELS.

3. REQUEST AUTHORIZATION TO FLOAT THIS DRAFT AT  
WESTERN CAUCUS APRIL 5.

4. QUOTE

THE ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE

RECALLING THAT IN THE FINAL ACT OF THE CONFERENCE ON  
SECURITY AND COOPERATION IN EUROPE, THE PARTICIPATING STATES  
EXPRESSED THEIR RESOLVE AND INTENTION TO EXPAND COOPERATION  
THROUGH FULL IMPLEMENTATION OF ALL ITS PROVISIONS, INCLUDING  
THOSE IN THE FIELD OF ECONOMICS, OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND  
OF THE ENVIRONMENT;

BEARING IN MIND THAT THE ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE  
WAS DESIGNATED IN THE FINAL ACT AS THE APPROPRIATE ORGANIZATION  
FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF A NUMBER OF THESE ACTIVITIES ON A  
MULTILATERAL BASIS,

NOTING WITH INTEREST THE IDEA ADVANCED AT THIS SESSION  
OF THE COMMISSION OF CONVENING UNDER THE COMMISSION'S AUSPICES  
"ALL-EUROPEAN CONFERENCES ON THE  
QUESTION OF COOPERATION IN THE FIELDS OF PROTECTION OF  
THE ENVIRONMENT, DEVELOPMENT OF TRANSPORT, AND ENERGY  
ECONOMY,"

NOTING THE WORK ALREADY DONE BY THE ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR  
EUROPE IN THE FIELDS OF ECONOMICS, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND  
THE ENVIRONMENT AND WORK TO BE UNDERTAKEN AS A RESULT OF  
ADAPTATION OF THE COMMISSION'S WORK PROGRAM IN RESPONSE TO  
THE COMMISSION'S RESOLUTION 2 (XXX) AND THE FINAL ACT OF THE  
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CONFERENCE OF SECURITY AND COOPERATION IN EUROPE,

CONVINCED OF THE NEED FOR FURTHER COOPERATIVE ACTION-  
ORIENTED EFFORTS IN THESE FIELDS,

REQUESTS THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY, IN CONSULTATION  
WITH MEMBER GOVERNMENTS AND TAKING INTO ACCOUNT THE WORK  
ALREADY UNDERWAY OR PLANNED WITHIN THE ECONOMIC COMMISSION

FOR EUROPE IN THE AFORESAID FIELDS, TO STUDY PROGRESS IN  
MULTILATERAL IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PROVISIONS OF THE CSCE FINAL  
ACT, RELATING TO THESE FIELDS, TO CONSIDER HOW FURTHER  
PROGRESS MAY BE BEST ACHIEVED, AND TO SUBMIT HIS  
OBSERVATIONS TO THE COMMISSION FOR ITS CONSIDERATION AT ITS  
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